

[0117] Accordingly, the disclosure is not limited to the above-described implementations, but instead is defined by the appended claims in light of their full scope of equivalents.

1. A method, comprising:
 - receiving a string of characters, the string of characters representing a potential domain name to be registered;
 - determining one or more possible word boundaries for words in the string of characters based at least partially on a segmentation process;
 - determining, for each character in the string of characters, an amount of time between entry of each character on an input device;
 - determining, based at least partially on the amount of time and the one or more possible word boundaries, one or more actual word boundaries for the words in the string of characters; and
 - outputting one or more determined words in the string of characters based at least partially on the one or more actual word boundaries.
2. The method of claim 1, wherein determining one or more actual word boundaries comprises:
 - determining a pair of characters that has a first amount of time between entry of the pair of characters that exceeds a second amount of time;
 - comparing the pair of characters to the one or more possible word boundaries; and
 - determining, based on the comparison, the one or more actual word boundaries from the one or more possible word boundaries that match the pair of characters.
3. The method of claim 2, wherein the second amount of time is an amount of time between entry of the other pairs of characters.
4. The method of claim 1, the method further comprising:
 - determining one or more alternate words for the one or more determined words, wherein the one or more alternate words have a similar meaning to the one or more determined words.
5. The method of claim 4, the method further comprising:
 - receiving a selection of at least one of the one or more alternate words; and
 - registering the at least one of the one or more alternative words as a domain name.
6. The method of claim 1, wherein the segmentation process comprises one or more of a dictionary segmentation, a character co-occurrence segmentation, a linguistic segmentation, a word fitness segmentation.
7. A method, comprising:
 - receiving a string of characters, the string of characters representing a search request;
 - determining one or more possible word boundaries for words in the string of characters based at least partially on a segmentation process;
 - determining, for each character in the string of characters, an amount of time between entry of each character on an input device;
 - determining, based at least partially on the amount of time and the one or more possible word boundaries, one or more actual word boundaries for the words in the string of characters; and
 - outputting, to a search engine, one or more determined words in the string of characters based at least partially on the one or more actual word boundaries.

8. The method of claim 7, wherein determining one or more actual word boundaries comprises:

- determining a pair of characters that has a first amount of time between entry of the pair of characters that exceeds a second amount of time;
- comparing the pair of characters to the one or more possible word boundaries; and
- determining, based on the comparison, the one or more actual word boundaries from the one or more possible word boundaries that matches the pair of characters.

9. The method of claim 8, wherein the second amount of time is an amount of time between entry of the other pairs of characters.

10. The method of claim 7, wherein the segmentation process comprises one or more of a dictionary segmentation, a character co-occurrence segmentation, a linguistic segmentation, a word fitness segmentation.

11. A method, comprising:

- receiving a string of characters, the string of characters representing entry of the string of characters on an input device;
- determining one or more possible word boundaries for words in the string of characters based at least partially on a segmentation process;
- determining, for each character in the string of characters, an amount of time between entry of each character on the input device;
- determining, based at least partially on the amount of time and the one or more possible word boundaries, one or more actual word boundaries for the words in the string of characters; and
- outputting, to the input device, one or more determined words in the string of characters based at least partially on the one or more actual word boundaries.

12. The method of claim 11, wherein determining one or more actual word boundaries comprises:

- determining a pair of characters that has a first amount of time between entry of the pair of characters that exceeds a second amount of time;
- comparing the pair of characters to the one or more possible word boundaries; and
- determining, based on the comparison, the one or more actual word boundaries from the one or more possible word boundaries that matches the pair of characters.

13. The method of claim 12, wherein the second amount of time is an amount of time between entry of the other pairs of characters.

14. The method of claim 11, wherein the segmentation process comprises one or more of a dictionary segmentation, a character co-occurrence segmentation, a linguistic segmentation, a word fitness segmentation.

15. A non-transitory computer-readable medium comprising instructions which, when executed by at least one processor, cause the at least one processor to perform a method comprising:

- receiving a string of characters, the string of characters representing a potential domain name to be registered;
- determining one or more possible word boundaries for words in the string of characters based at least partially on a segmentation process;
- determining, for each character in the string of characters, an amount of time between entry of each character on an input device;